

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Appln. No.: 09/251,149

Group Art Unit: 1745

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For: CURENT COLLECTION THROUGH THE ENDS OF  
A SPIRALLY WOUND ELECTROCHEMICAL CELLFAX RECEIVED  
AUG 21 2001  
GROUP 1700  
OFFICIAL#24/2  
7.21.01SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111ATTN: BOX AFCommissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

In response to the Office Action dated June 5, 2001 and the Office Communication dated August 15, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel/claim 34 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claims:

1 26. (Three Times Amended) A method of making an electrochemical cell comprising the steps of:

providing an electrode stack including alternately arranged first and second electrodes, the first electrode extending from one end of the stack, the second electrode extending from an opposite end of the stack, and a longitudinal axis between the ends of the stack;

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